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Applicant

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## **AMENDMENT "C"**

## FILED WITH A REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Sir:

This amendment is filed in response to the Office action dated July 9, 2008 (Paper No. 20080625) and is accompanied by a Request for Continued Examination (RCE). The three-month period for responding to the Office action expired on October 9, 2008. Applicant requests and petitions that the period for responding to the outstanding Office action be extended for one month, through November 9, 2008. Please charge \$940 to our Deposit Account No. 16-0820, our Order No. NGB-36483, to cover the \$810 RCE fee and the \$130 one-month extension of time fee.

Please amend the above-identified application in the following manner.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.